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PRODUCT MGR. NO. 13-LaRocca/Heyward

PRODUCT NAME(S) Talstar® PL Granular Insecticide

COMPANY NAME FMC Corporation Agricultural Products Group

SUBMISSION PURPOSE Provide performance data in support of claims to
control deer tick larvae and nymphs and American
dog tick nymphs and adults in turfgrass.

CHEMICAL & FORMULATION Bifenthrin: (2-methyl[1,1'-biphenyl]-3-yl)
methyl-3-(2-chloro-3,3,3-trifluoro-1-propenyl)-2,2-dimethylcyclo-
propanecarboxylate* 0.2%

*Cis isomers 97% min- (granular material of unspecified density)
imum, trans isomers 3% maximum

CONCLUSIONS & RECOMMENDATIONS The data presented in EPA Accession
(MRID) Number 441374-01, having been obtained from a standard field
test meeting the definitions of § 95-11(a)(1) and (6) on p. 267,
requirements of § 95-11(b)(1), (3)-(4) and (6)-(7) on p. 268 and
the standard of § 95-11(c)(2)(i) and (ii)(A)(b) on p. 270 of the
Product Performance Guidelines as well as the application technique
of § 95-4(a)(1) and (5) on p. 246, are adequate to support a claim
for control of nymphal deer tick, Ixodes dammini, in turfgrass for
the subject product when applied according to label rates and di-
rections. Similarly, the data presented in MRID No. 441374-02,
having been obtained from a standard field test meeting the same
definitions, requirements and standard, are adequate to support a
claim for control of nymphs and adults of the American dog tick,
Dermacentor variabilis, in turfgrass for the subject product when
applied according to label rates and directions.

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